THE King of Belgium pays Stanley \$20,000

e year. Turns is a great religious revival in Tuz cholera epidemic in Buenos Ayres is

THE lord mayor's dinner in London this year cost \$0,000.
A New York bride, a few days ago, had

en bridesmaids.

THE holiday trade is immense and show a plentitude of cash.
Ir cost New York City \$70,000 to convict

Iderman McQuade.
It looks as if Washington and Montana might be admitted as States.

LANGTRY intends endowing a home for indigent respectable women.

Mr. Jones, of Waterloo, Kan., has named

his thirteenth son Chestnut Jones. English professional beauties are not at-SECRETARY LAMAR thinks Lowell the best master of pure English now living.

America is exporting plum-pudding to
England in considerable quantities.

The trouble between the Knights of Labor and Trades-Unions is increasing.

St. Paul has invested this year in new buildings \$0,658,692. That looks healthy. A Congressional funeral now-a-days

THE trip from Deadwood, Dak., to New THE Sultan of Turkey, like the Czar of Russis, is in constant dread of assassina-

LADY RANDOLPH CHURCHILL is a clever planist, and often plays at charity con-Tus U. S. Grand Jury in St. Louis found seventy-two indictments for election

CONGRESSMAN HOGG, of West Virginia, is the youngest member of the next Nation-ONE RUNDERD THOUSAND persons are em-

ployed in making clothing in New York and vicinity.

THE Indian prisoners occupy 127 tents upon the ramparts of old Fort Marion, St.

Augustine, Fla.
THE advance in the price of pig iron is being followed by advances in various lines of manufacture.

In South Carolina there is no divorce law, and the marriage relation can only be

Ionia County (Mich.) boasts of a boy only eighteen years old who is six feet eleven inches tall. JAT Gould has rented a pew in Dr. John F. Paxton's church, on Forty-second street,

New York, for \$1,500 a year.

Or seventy-three important towns in Colerade, twelve are above 5,000 feet and ten above 10,000 feet above sea level.

A single sale of wheat was recently

made in Tahoma County, Cal., the money payment involved being \$250,000. Ex-SERATOR TRURMAN is seventy-two years old, worth \$500,000, and frankly admits that he would like to be President.

Miss Emily Faithful has received from tueen Victoria a grant of \$500 in recogni-Queen Victoria a grant of \$300 in recogni-tion of her services to workingwomen.

Mrs. CLEVELAND promises to favor the reform movement which asks ladies to remove their hats on entering a theater.

DAROTA wants women and is getting them pretty fast. Statistics show that the birth

proportion is about three girls to one boy.

THE Russian Minister at Washington is allowed \$25,000 a year by his Government for the purpose of giving entertainments. THE married men of Holly, Mich., are to play a match game of base ball with the women of that town who want to get mar-

Mons than fifty colored men hold clerkships in the departments at Washington at salaries ranging from \$1,000 to \$1,700 per

SENATOR MORRILL, of Vermont, seventysix years old, is the oldest man in the Sen-ate. Payne, of Ohio, is seven months younger.
Tue peppermint, spearmint, tansy and

wormwood oil crops of St. Joseph and Cass County, Mich., amount this season to CHECK for one cent was drawn in New

York by the Government in favor of an importer who had paid excess of duty to that extent. To enable the judge to pass on the charge against John Dillon without recourse to a jury they went back to a statute as old as

It is stated that Krupp has an order from Russia for a large number of forty-three-ton guns to be delivered next spring

A HABIT of chewing tea leaves brought on resembling delirium tremens in a see case is reported in a London edical journal.

medical journal.

A DOCUMENT has been presented to the King of Sweden containing 136,694 signatures to a petition for the suppression of obscene literature.

A BATH containing twenty grains sulphate of copper per litre of water will pre-serve ropes used for scaffolding purposes from rot and from animal parasites. Soak them well.

MEXICAN ladies wear imported Parisian hats. No lady wears a bonnet to church, the proper headgear being the swillans, a small mantilla, which is singularly becom

ing to all women.
THE Plenk family in Lincolnton, N. C., is long-lived. Joseph is now ninety-eight years old; his sister, Mrs. Tethrow, is 100

years and Mrs. Weaver, another sister, is 108 years of age.

The correct pronunciation of the name of the distinguished Hungarian painter, Mihaly, or Michael Munkacsy, is as if it elt Moon-kat-chee, the accent being

on the first syllable.

THE Prohibition leader in the South Carolina Legislature is named A Boozer, not-withstanding he is a member of a body which probably has the only authority in

is State to change names. Mrs. Plonence Boulanger, who lives on has besten the record. Two years ago she here twins, last year triplets, and now she has given birth to a full quartet.

NATURAL gas conducted from its source in McKean County, Pa., to Buffalo, in an eight-inch pipe, traveled at the speed of minety miles an hour.

Magon Mironell's real estate has floubled itself in value the past ten years, and the popular actrees is said to be worth taif a million dellars.

P. W. KENNIS, of San Francisco, says that city has three hundred young women who are hoirceses to \$500,000 or more each, and all are unmarried.

Ten millionaire must now have several millions to be considered rich. The cen-tennarian must sdd ten or a score of years to the hundred to be distinguished for old age. The times are generally in an ad-

age. The times are generally in an advanced state.

The sweetest and best flavored pork in the world is produced on the Island of Madeira. The hogs there subsist mainly on fruits, nuts, grass and roots.

Carrans W. McMiczna, of the Cunard steamer Umbria, completed his 700th trip across the Atlantic whos his vessel arrived in New York a few days ago.

It is no longer regarded as proper in politic strates to say a person has a wrinkled face. The correct thing is to speak of a person with a cardinop countenance.

Carrans of Eminence, Mo., recently new real days from the country in print and the face is counted by large and that the games furned and made the main after driving the engle of, wenter that a series turned and made the main after driving the engle of, wenter the main and activing the engle of, wenter the main and activing the engle of, wenter the main and activing the engle of, wenter the country to print the country to print the country of the

GENERAL JOHN A. LOGAN.

The Soldier-Statesman Dies at Washington. Surrounded by His Family and Many Inti-mate Friends.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—John A. Logan died at three minutes before 3 o'clock this afternoon. His death, which came with startling suddenness to his family and 'riends, had not been unexpected by his physicians for some days. The lurking tendency to brain complication which had been present in a greater or less degree, and constantly increasing in severity during his entire illness, had prepared them to expect the worst. The racking pains which he suffered during the early days of his illness yielded to treatment, but left him in a weak and exhausted condition from which he never rallied, and upon which the fover preyed with increasing ed condition from which he never railied, and upon which the fover preyed with increasing violence until the hour of his death. After last midnight his pulse grow weaker and weaker, and at 4 o'clock this morning his condition was such as to cause great fear of his immediate death. After this he railied somewhat, and, at the consultation which was held at 9 o'clock this morning, his pulse was found to be approximate to the consultation which was found to be somewhat stronger, but his general condition was not such as to give any hope of ultimate recovery. Dr. Baxter relieved Dr. Hamilton at the conclusion of the consulta-tion, and continued in constant attendance untion, and continued in constant attendance until the General's death. The physicians again met in consultation at 1:30 p. m., when it was apparent that the patient was rapidly sinking, and could live but a few hours. At 3 o'clock the General revived sufficiently to recognize his wife, who has been at his bedside night and day during his entire illness. As she spoke to him he looked up into her face, and all who were present knew that he recognized her. This was the last manifestation of consciousness. He then wearily closed his eyes and sank into a lethargic sleep from which he never woke.

While the public has been aware for a week or more that General Logan was confined to his

While the public has been aware for a week or more that General Logan was confined to his room with rheumatism, many even of his most intimate friends were, as late as yesterday afternoon, unsuspicious of the serious character of the attack, and to the masses the announcement in this morning's papers that the statesman lay at death's door brought a shock of sorrowful surprise. All day long the carriages of sympathetic callers have occupied the space in front of Calumet Place, while hundreds of pedestrians of all walks of life have elimbed the hill upon which the Logan mansion stands, to ask if it were true that all hope was past. Among those who thus actively expressed their grief and sympathy were Secretary and Mrs. Whitney, Secretary and Mrs. Manning, Senators Ransom and Watthall, General and Mrs. Cockrell, Mr. and Mrs. Bancroft Davis, General Mahone, Senators Platt, Mitchell and Eustls, Congressmen Hitt. If Illinois, and Symes, of Colorado, General and Colonel Sheridan, Professor and Mrs. Bell, Senator and Mrs. Payne, Justice Matthews, Senators Harris and Whitthorne, Senator and Mrs. Miller, Senator Voorhees and Hlair, and Congressmen Burrows and Townshend.

Soores of telegrams of condolence have been pouring in during the day from all parts of the country, among the latest being one from exsenator Conkling, expressing his inability to rredit the reported imminence of the danger and asking for information.

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Though the doctors have given no word of nope during the day, yet the attendants, as late as this noon, refused to give full credence to the alarming bulletins, and whispered to inquirers something of the chances that the sturdy frame of the sufferer, and the united skill of the consulting physicians would bring a revival of vitality sufficient to dominate the instidious parts of

Intimate friends gathered with the grief-stricken and almost frantic relatives about the bedside while in the annelous hall and nari bedow a sad-faced throng remained in bushed expectancy. The stified sobs of the wife and children, and the inarticulate utter-ances of the dying man, were audible at times throughout the mansion. At 2:35 Dr. Baxter came out of the sick room and said to one who

ers, and with its end ended the life of the warrior-statesman.

Among those at the bedside of the dying man
were Senator and Mrs. Cullom and daughter,
Jeneral Sacridan, Senator and Mrs. Cockrell,
Jeneral Raum, Congressman Henderson and
Rhomas, of Illinois, and Mrs. Thomas: Senator
Miller and wife, Congressman Symes, of Colorado; Dr. Baxter, General Henry Strong, and
Daniel Shepard and wife, of Chicago, and the
General's private secretaries, W. B. Taylor
and Albert Hall. At the head of the bed kinelt
Mrs. Logan, one arm encirciling her dying husband's neck, the hand of the other stroking his
forchead. At her side were John A. Logan, ir,
and Rev. Dr. Newman. Opposite these were
the daughter, Mrs. Tucker, and her husband,
and George A. Logan, the General's nephew.
"The scene," said Dr. Baxter, "was one of the
saddest that I have ever witnessed. All present
were deeply affected. The grief of Mrs. Logan
and her children was pittful in the extreme."

It is stated that the General's body will, no
doubt, be taken to Illinois for burial, but no definite arrangements for the funeral will be made until Mrs. Logan, who is wholly prostrated, can be
consulted.

Senator Cullom, who was at the dying man's

onsulted.

Senator Cullom, who was at the dying man's side continuously from last evening, was requested to temporarily take charge of matters. He sent at once for the Deputy Sergeant at-Arms of the Senate, who, upon his arrival half an hour later, entered upon the usual preliminary arrangements for the funeral by summoning an undertaker and telegraphing to the Seargeant-at-Arms and to to others at a distance.

Seargeant-at-Arms and to to others as a distance.

General Logan's system was very sensitive to weather changes of a particular kind, and he has often been heard to remark in a jocular way that he believed he could accurately foretell the coming of a snow storm. The seeds of his disorder were sown during the war: his first attack of rheumatism having followed it immedately at the end of a twenty-four hours' march through a blinding snow-storm. His last attack, too, resulted from brief exposure to the srow-storm of a fortnight ago, and his death preceded by but a few minutes the beginning of a heavy flurry, which, though brief, covered the earth with a thick carpet of white.

-A Father's Names-The baby says. dah-dah; the country boy, dad; the young girl, papa; the college swell, guv-nor; the young rough, the ole man; the masher, mah pare; the mash-eress, paw; the jolly school-boy, pop; the jolly school-girl, poppy; the young German, pah-der; the little African, fodder; the sensible boy or girl, father and mother, though paps and mamma may often be used when alone with them, to express tender affection.—

enthusiastic fisherman has opened a subscription for a monument to Isaak Walton. Such an honor is eminently deserved. Isaak was one o the very few men who could go a fish-ing and catch a trout that didn't increase two or three pounds in weight before he got home.—N. Y. Ledger.

The rosy-cheeked baby peeping out of the cabbage in a Washington street window caused a little lass to remark: "lihe'd heard about babies found under cabbages, but she'd never seen one growing before."—Bosies

MUSSEL LYNCHED

By a Well Organised Committee of the Best Citisens of Essen, O.—The Horrible Murder of Farmer Christman Avenged. Earox, O., D°c. 21.—Wm. Mussel, who, two weeks ago, brutally murdered Daniel Christman, a wealthy old farmer living near here, and nearly killed his wife, was to-night lynched in this town by a mob, in the presence of almost the entire popular. the presence of almost the entire population of the town and hundreds from neigh boring country, who came in expecting the affair to come off just as it did. Mussel was captured at Greencastle yesterday and brought here this forencon. He was received by a mob of 500 men, who chased the carriage conveying him to jail until the officers in charge drew their revolvers and by hard work landed him in jail intact. Even then a dash was made for him, but the mob was a second time driven off. Mussel was smoking a cigar when he got off the train, but was perfectly paralyzed with fear when he saw his pursuers and heard their cries of "Lynch him!" "Shoot him," etc., howled into his ears, and shook like an asp-en leaf as he looked into their angry faces. To-night a regularly organized meet was held in the town hall, attended leading citizens, and the affair was fully discussed, with the result that his lynching was deciped upon, and the mon selected to carry out that determination. The meetbefore 8 o'clock a rush was made for the jail. The sheriff protested, but it was only a formal protest, and the mob carried the outer doors with a wild hurrah. The keys were not to be had, but sledges and cold chisels were speedily put to work on Mussel's cell door, and he was soon dragged out. A glance sufficed to iden-tify him, for a score of men in the crowd knew him well. A ready rope was quickly put about his neck, and scores helped him, none too gently, out of the jail and into the court-house yard, and across it to the cor-ner, where stands an electric light tower. Into the glare of that light Mussel dragged. Mussel glanced around, an el glanced around, and his face, which had worn a defiant look fell. The leader appointed at the meeting halted at the light tower. The rope was swung over a convenient beam, and then Mussel was asked if he had any thing to say. In a firmer voice than could have been expected he declared he was innocent of the crime charged against him. He was not given a chance to say much more, for, exas, erated by the self-apparent lie of a man on the verge of eternity, the signal wa given, and William Mussel was swung up between heaven and earth. It was just ten minutes after eight o'clock. which had worn a defiant look fell. was just ten minutes after eight o'clock After hanging twenty minutes the body was cut down and handed over to an undertaker. The lynching is generally com-mended by our best citizens.

QUALLED BEFORE THE TASK.

ne of the Minneapolis Ninnies Gives Up His Partridge Diet. CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Ten days before Mann, the Minneapolis quail eater, started in on his task to eat thirty birds in thirty days for a bet of \$1,000, Charles Miller days for a bet of \$1,000, Charles Miller commenced the same business on another wager. Yesterday Miller attacked his twenty-eighth bird. He had been complaining for the past five days that he could not sleep at night, and that he seemed to have a load of stone on his breast. He felt well enough when he went days. down to his quail, atea little bread and butter and potatoes and then attacked the bird. After two bites Miller was taken violently ill, vomiting and being utterly unable to go on with the task. A hack was sent for and he was taken to a doctor's and from thence to his home. No serious results are looked for and he will probably be all right in a day or two. Mann ate his eighteenth quail last night and is still feeling well.

Making Room for Silver Dollars. Waking Room for Silver Deliars.

Wakinsoron, Dec. 21.—A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury was today laid before the House, in which he says the capacity of vanits already constructed for the storage of silver deliars is now practically exhausted. There is, therefore, he says, a necessity that provision be made for the storage of silver deliars at the earliest practicable day. dollars at the earliest practicable day Estimates are transmitted of the cost of a storage vault of one hundred million storage vault of one hundred million dol-lars' capacity within the court yard of the Treasury building. For a double steel-lined vault the estimates are \$100,673, and for a simple vault without steel lining they

A \$10,000 Check for Mrs. McClellan. New York, Dec. 21.—The widow of Gen eral McClellan was recently given a check for \$10,000 by Webster & Co., who are pub lishing the reminiscences of her husband.

Mrs. McClellan was guaranteed fifty per
cent on the profits of the book, and this
payment of \$40,000 is an earnest of the pub
lishers' faith in its sale.

Disastrous Explosion.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 21.—The engine of a portable saw-mill located on the river exploded this afternoon, killing an Italian whose name is unknown, and severely scalding James Kintz, the engineer, and two other workmen. The saw-mill is owned by France & Himse. owned by Frase & Himes, of Fort Wayne,

Socialist Editor Sentenced.

Milwauker, Dec. 21.—Paul Grottkau, editor of the "Arbeiter Zeitung," a Socialist organ, was sentenced to thirty days imprisonment at hard labor for the publication of a poem section of a poem section. tion of a poem reflecting on the integrity of the court in the recent trial of the riot

Death from Swallowing a Bean.
Nashville, Dec. 31.— The eight-year-old daughter of Sam Kinnamon, a farmer, at Rockford, Tenn., swallowed a bean, which

Assassinated at the Supper Table. BLAIR, NER., Dec. 21.—P. Buttenschen, a farmer living near here, was shot and killed by an unknown assassin, while sitting at the supper table surrounded by his wife and family.

Jailed for Contempt. Indianapolis, Dec. 21.—In the investiga-tion of the election frauds, S. E. Perkins subpensed as a witness, refused to testify and was sent to jail for ninety days fo

Bills Approved. Washington, Dec. 31.—The President has approved the act to relinquish the interest of the United States in certain lands to the city and county of San Francisco, the act for the relief of certain soldiers of the Twelfth Michigan Volunteer Infantry, and the act retiring Vice Admiral Rowan and Rear Admiral Worden with the highest pay of their grades.

Four Minors Killed While at Work. SCRANTON, PA., Dec. 21.—By a fall of rock in Connell's mine John Rogers, assistant foreman, was killed and John O'Hara, John Nee and Anthony Doughterty were fatally and Michael Gallegher slightly hurt.

Paries for Three indicas.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The President today granted a pardon in the case of Tampa,
Lowish and Hietitet, three Pims Indians
now undergoing a sentence of five year's
imprisonment in the Arisona Penitentiary,
for a murderous assault on two white mass
in that territory in 1888.

BOLD ROBBERY.

Jeweler's Window Smashed In View of a Large Crowd.

The Speciators Held at Bay With Revolvers, and Six Thousand Dollars Worth of Goods Carried Off.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., Dec. 22.-About 9 MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., Dec. 22.—About 9 o'clock this evening three men drove up in front of the large jewelry store of J. R. Elliott, corner of Nicollet avenue and Third street. Two of the men jumped from the sleigh, while the third held the horses. One of the men carried a heavy stick of word, with which he amashed the large wood, with which he smashed the large plate glass show-window, in which were trays of diamonds, watches, etc., and hurriedly seized all the available jewelry and threw it into the sleigh, while jewelry and threw it into the sleigh, while his accomplices kept the crowd of people that swarmed the street at bay with cocked revolvers. Before any thing could be done to apprehend them both men had jumped into the sleigh and driven rapidly up street, the driver wildly lashing the horses, and the driver wildly lashing the horses, and the robbers standing with revolvers pointed at the crowd. They secured between \$6,000 and \$7,000 worth of diamonds and watches. For boldness and daring this excels the James brothers' exploits. The streets were unusually crowded, and scores of people were leoking at the display in Elliott's window at the time of the robbery. Several policemen were within half a block of the scene, but could not get there in time to apprehend the bold thieves. A posse of men have started after them with fast horses, and the telephone and telegraph have been utilized to notify all outlets of the city to be on the lookout for them. Gold Mine in Kentucky.

EVANSVILLE, IND., Dec. 23.—A Journal special from Paducah, Ky., says that the Rupertus brothers, prominent and well-to-do farmers of McCracken County, Ky., have been prospecting on their farm for many weeks past for a vein of gold which has been believed to have existed, and they have at last been successful in their search, after boring to a depth of eightyone feet. A company of moneyed men have been formed, and a shaft will be sunk at once. The people of Paducah and Mc-Cracken County are greatly excited over the discovery. An Extraordinary Cow.

DATTON, O., Dec. 22.—A gentleman of this city has a cow, the like of which was never seen in earth or sky. It is like other cows in all respects, except that out of its right shoulders grow the hind parts of the body of a calf, legs, tail and part of the body. Instead of hoofs on these extra feet are horns, about a foot in length. The tail is also tipped with a horny substance. The animal is healthy, and able to receive nu-merous calls every day.

Beycetting the Railreads.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 23.—The colored people of Florids, led by their ministers, have boycotted the railroads because the blacks, male and female, have to ride in smoking cars, though paying the full fare, and are subjected to various insults. They will not travel by rail to camp meet-ings nor anywhere else, except in cases of

No Morey for the Millionaire Murderer. PITTEBURGE, Dec. 22.—The Pardon Board in session at Harrisburg last night refused the application for the pardon of Milton Weston, charged with manulaughter in the famous Murrayville riot cases. It is said this closes the last loophole of hope against the Chicago millionaire, and he will be compelled to serve out his sentence in the Western Penitentiary.

Churchill Resigns.

London, Dec. 28.—The Time announces that Lord Randolph Churchill has resigned his seat in the Cabinet, owing to a disagreement with the Admiralty and the War Office with reference to increasing the expenses of the country in view of the existing financial difficulty, and also because he disapproved the home legislative measures of the Cabinet.

Kentucky Central Ordered Sold. FRANKPORT, KT., Dec. 22.—U. S. Circuit Judge Jackson to-day ordered the sale of the Kentucky Central railroad. The decision was given in the suit of the trustees of the stockholders and others against the road. He also entered a decree order-ing the sale of the Chatteroi (Ky.) railroad in the suit of the Union Trust Com-

Judge Lewry Will Centest.
FORT WAYNE, IND., Dec. 22.—Congressman Lowry, who was defeated at the recent election by James D. White, Republican, served notice of contest on Mr. White yesterday. Mr. Lowry charges that money was unlawfully used at the election and that Mr. White is not a citizen.

\$1.000 Reward for the Assassin. MEWTON, ILL., Dec. 22.—Jasper County officer \$1,000 reward for the arrest and conviction of the assessin of George Bowers, who was found robbed and murdered on the railroad track a few days ago. The village of Newton will also offer \$200 and the Governor \$200.

Charged With Importing Foreign Labor. Boston, Dec. 22.—United States District Bosrow, Dec. 22.—United States District Attorney Stearns has begun five suits against the Bay State Brick Company for violation of the law in importing foreign labor under contract, the company having brought French Canadians from Canada to work in its brick-yard.

Second Verdict Worse than the First. Mr. Stranine, Kr., Dec. 22.—B. G. For-man, convicted of killing Jerry Cravens here, got a verdict on a second trial of twenty-one years for manslaughter. At his first trial the verdict was for fourteen

Two Prisoners Burned to Death.
CHEROYGAN, MICH., Dec. 23.—The City Hall and opera-house burned to-night. The jail in the rear of City Hall contained two prisoners, both of whom were burned to death. Loss, \$10,000; no insurance.

Pink-Eye to Gullate, N. Y. BUFFALO, Dec. 23.—An epidemic of the disease known as "pink-eye" prevails among the horses in this city. The street railroad companies have eighty-seven horses on the sick list.

Mational Soldiers' Home. Matienal Seldiers' Heme.

Washington Dec. 23.—The report of the Board of Managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, which was laid before the House to-day, states that the Home is gradually becoming a great hospital, and the necessity for additional hospital accommodations is more urgant every year. The expenditure during the year was \$1,000,700, and the estimates for the next year \$1,509,574.

Lease of Life for a Murferess.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Mrs. Roxalans
Druse, the murderess of her husband, sentenced to be hanged December 39, has been
granted a postponement of the execution
for two months by Governor Hill.

Discovered the Ses Serpent.

New York, Doc. 22.—The steamer Rhyniand, from Antwerp, which arrived here to-day, reports that yesterday, abreast of Nantucket, it passed the aca-mounter reported by the steamer Thingvalla. It proved to be a dead whale of gigantic size, floating about fifteen feet out of water. It had apparently been dead for a long time.

Strange Discovery in Hexico.

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MAGDALENA, MEN., Dec. 32.—About four miles to the westward of this place approximal has been discovered 50 yards high and 1,500 yards in diameter. A spiral read, wide enough for a sparings, leads in the top.

A MASKED QUINTETTE.

Deparate But Futile Effort to Rob the Median County Safe.

Aknow, O., Dec. 23.—"Throw up your hands or you're a dead man!" hissed two masked robbers in the ear of the night watchman in the county court house at Medina at 2 o'clock this morning. While the two men bound and gagged the watchman, three others began work on the safe, in which was \$150,000. Holes were drilled and saveral times nowder was rammed in in which was \$150,000. Holes were drilled and several times powder was rammed in and exploded. The first pair of doors were finally opened, and work was begun on the inner doors of steel, but progress was so slow and daylight was so near that the cracksmen threw down their tools and hur-ried away. The watchman untied himself and they later aroused the shortfi rune. s half hour later, aroused the sheriff, rung sens, who are now scouring the country. They are hot on the scent.

DEATH BY FIRE.

An Aged Couple and Their Son Perish In Their House—Destructive Blaze.

Ashrabula, O., Dec. 23.—This morning at Ashtabula, O., Dec. 23.—This morning at four o'clock the farm-house of C. B. Russell, at Baybrook, O., was entirely consumed. Mrs. Russell, aged fifty, and Mr. Russell, aged eighty, died from suffocation. An imbecile son, who was upstairs, was burned to a crisp. The supposed cause of the fire was a delective flue. Insurance unknown. A heavy fire here this evening destroyed the house, two stores and coal aheds belonging to P. F. Good. Incendiarism was the cause. No. insurance. Estimated loss \$4.00.

A Youthful Mail Robber. CHICAGO, Dec. 23.-Robert J. Calladine, Chicago, Dec. 23.—Robert J. Calladine, employed as a stamper in the city distribution department of the post-office, was arrested last night by Inspector Bassett for robbing the mails. Calladine has been suspected for several months, as during that time money has continually disappeared from letters passing through his hands. He was caught by means of a decoy letter. The amount of his peculations is, of course, not known, but it is supposed to be considerable. Calladine is only seventeen years of age, and was appointed about a year ago. Thawed Frozen Dynamite.

ELIZABETHTOWN, PA., Dec. 23.—This morning at an early hour, William C. Cahill, aged twenty years, employed in a grang of men who are sloping a tunnel, was thawing some frozen dynamite. Suddenly the cartridges exploded and Cahill was blown to pieces. Both legs and arms were torn off. Charles Dickel, Charles McManus and one Hornafius were also badly injured. Cahill is from Columbia, Dickel and McManus from Lancaster, and Hornafius of fanus from Lancaster, and Hornafius of

Death of the Negress Who Turned White. Hownil, Mich., Dec. 23.—Mrs. Jacob Eld-ridge, Howell's strange freak of nature, the old colored woman who has been grad-ually turning white for several years, died here yesterday. She has been ill for sev-eral months, but it is not thought that the here yesterday. One has been deed that the peculiarly strange change in color which she underwent had anything to do with her last illness. The greater part of her body is now a healthy illy white. Her husband, who was a pioneer of this county, died Tuesday morning.

Wants Part of Chicage. Wasts Part of Chicage.
CRIGAGO, Dec. 33.—Lester A. Bartlett, of Washington, has applied to the General Land Office to locate, with what is known as "Gerard scrip," ninety acres of land in this city. It is claimed that these lands belong to the United States. The "scrip" was issued to Stephen Gerard by President Washington, and on its face gives the right to locate lands anywhere in the United States.

State Entertalnmente.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The President has fixed dates for State entertainments. Mrs. Cleveland's Saturday afternoon receptions are given fortnightly, alternating with the President's evening receptions. The plan provides some entertainment at the White House every week, and is arranged so as to close the social season as it begins, with a State reception, in which the public can

Frightened Into Insanity. READING, PA., Dec. 23 — Franklin B. Good-hart, aged fifty-five years, a well-known sporting man of this city, is a raving mani-ac, the result of a practical joke. Last evening be entered a salesy when reven of his friends, robed in buffalo skins and armed with hatchets, rushed at him yelling like cowboys. This so frightened Mr.Good-hart he has become violently, and, it is feared, hopelessly insane.

Church Troubles. Church I roubles.

PERIN, ILL., Dec. 23. — Father F. X. Noonan, paster of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, being relieved by Bishop Spalding for alleged real estate frauds, refused to vacate the parsonage until custed by a constable. He then rented a house next the parsonage and provided by Eather the parsonage of the parsonage, now occupied by Father Dunne, his successor, and defies the Bishop or anybody else to drive him from his new

Suicide of a Bride of Six Weeks.

Mason Cirr, Iowa, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Merv.
Hill took two grains of strychnine yesterday afternoon, and her death is but a matter of a few hours. She was formerly
one of the most successful teachers in the
country. She was married but six weeks
ago, and her relations with her husband
have been of the pleasantest. After she
had taken the strychnine she told her husband what she had done, but assigned no
reason whatever for the act.

John Bull a Disturbing Element.

Paris, Dec. 23.—The Journal des Desta renews its attack on England, which it accuses of being the only Power whose conduct has aggravated the trouble which has culminated in the present crisis in Southeastern Europe, and declares that she has sought to embroil Austria and Russia in a dispute.

Jake Sharp Leses His Charter.

ALBANT, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Judge Peckham, of the Supreme Court, this merning decided that the action of the Legislature last winter in repealing the charter of the Broadway Street Railway Company of New York is constitutional. Judge Packham also holds that the mortgages are a tion on the property. lien on the property.

Suit for False Imprisonment Evansville, IND., Dec. 28.—Members of Council and Fire Chief Bullen have brought damage suits aggregating \$90,000 against the Cumberland Telephone Company for false imprisonment. Liculenant Governorshi : Case Undecided.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 28.—The Indians B greme Court adjourned to day without deciding the Lieutenant Governorsh War Vessel Condomned. WARRINGTON, Dec. 22.—The U. S. man-of war Tonnecsee, the largest vessel in the may, has been condemned.

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Only a lican.
CINCINNATI, Doc. 28.—The story from Richmond, Va., that Richard Sheanick, a prisoner in the Cincinnati work-house, was wanted there for murder, promises to prove a hoaz. To-day Chief of Police Deitsch received a letter from the Chief of Police of Richmond which stated that is had since been learned that Mrs. Sheanick had been insane, and that Mrs. Sheanick had been insane, and that the opinion prevalled that the alleged murder was a creation of her own disordered brain.

Chief Periodes in Figure.

Manustra, O., Dec. 21.—The residence of Desiel Struarder was destroyed by fra, and a four-year and grandchild perioded in the

SQUEALED.

Potheringham Weakens and Admits That He Stood In With the Express Robbery,

Upon a Promise of Partial Immunity from ont-Jim Cummings' Identity.

Cafcago, ILL., Dec. 26.-It is now state

Caroaco, Lt., Dec. 26.—It is now stated that Fotheringham, the express messenger, who is in jail at 5t. Louis on suspicion of being implicated in the Adams Express robbery on the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad October last, disclosed the whole story upon a promise of partial immunity from punishment made to him by the officials. His story was to the effect that he did not know the actual robbers, or their whereabouts, but that a certain man, whose name is carefully concealed, netheir whereabouts, but that a certain man, whose name is carefully concealed, negotiated with him plans for the robbery, which were afterward carried out. The name of this man and a description by which the detectives were able to identify him were given by Fotheringham, and from this the case was worked up and the man tracked to this city, where he was arrested Friday, night with two others. man tracked to this city, where no was arrested Friday night with two others, who are suspected of being members of the gang. The detectives have recovered but \$10,000 of the \$55,000 stolen. It is likely the three prisoners will be taken to St. Louis to-morrow. The protentious air of mystery around the Pinkerton head-quarters in Fifth avenue was not lessened to-day, and the men under arrest for com-plicity in the Adams Express robbery are still unknown. That one of them is the facetious Jim Commings is pretty evident. That Jim Cummings is not the name of the man in question is reasonably certain.
There is a strong suspicion that Jim Cummings' baptismal name was Fred Witrosch and his family is an excellent one, living in Leavenworth, Kan.

FORTY-NINTH CONGRESS Second Session.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.-SENATE.-Com

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was reported and passed fixing the charge for
passports at one dollar. A deficiency bill for
the Public Printing Bureau was passed. A resplution to discharge the Pensions Committee
from further consideration of the pension arrearages extension bill was objected to
and laid over. The resolution for holiday reyess from December 28 to January 4, was agreed
to. The inter-Stute commerce conference reour was called up. Benator Wilson, of lows,
poke, and after a short executive session the
senste aljourned at \$18 p. m.
HOUSE.—The concurrent resolution for a holiday recess was agreed to. The Senate amendment to the bill for the relief of the Jeannette
survivors was concurred in. Remonstrances
were presented against the free ship bill. The
findian appropriations bill was reported. Thurfray, January 50, was set aside for considering
resolutions in respect to the deaths of Onpressmen Arnot, Bach and Dowdney.
The Military Academy appropriation
was reported and referred. The President's veto on a pension bill was called up, and
the House refused to consider the bill. The
filplomatic appropriation bill was reported and referred. The army appropriation bill was
assed. The invalid pension appropriation bill
was reported and referred. Senate amendments
to the urgency deficiency appropriation bill
wore concurred in, and at 3:46 p. m. the House
adjourned.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—SENATE.—A bill was reported to provide for the execution of an article in the treaty with China on the opium traffic. A resolution was adopted directing the Committee on Commerce to make a detailed re-port on each item of the river and harbor bill. The Committee on Finance was instructed to inquire and report what reduction can be made in custom duties, and at 13:30 p. m. the Senate adjourned until January 4.

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HOURE.—A bill was passed granting right of way through Indian reservations in Montana to St. Paul, Minnespolis & Manitoba railroad. A bill was reported requiring all land-grant railroad companies to construct, maintain and operate their telegraph lines. A Senate bill was passed for the relief of Lie Greensburg Limestone Company of Indiana. The Oklahoma bill was considered until 3:38 p. m., when the House adjourned until January 4.

Terrible Christmas Tracedy. CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—A special to the Dady, News, from Omaha, says: Charles Burger, a farmer living ten miles south of Rush-ville, Neb., returned home from town Christmas evening and found his wife and three children dead in the house. His wife had been subject to temporary fits of insanity, and it is supposed that while out of her head she killed her three children and

then cut her own throat.

Five Miners Killed. information was received here this aftermoon of a fight last night between miners at Caperton, a mining village sixty miles east of here, on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad. In the fracas five men were killed and several wounded. Particulars

Incane Man's Fatal Fall. St. Louis, Dec. 26.—Rev. H. C. Higgins an inmate of the insane asylum at Fulton Mo., attempted to escape from his room in the fourth story of the building, by a rope made from his bedding, but it broke, and he was found dead, on the brick walk

Another Express Robbery.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Dec. 26.—A special to the Appeal from Vicksburg says that the Battimore and Ohio Express office at Rayvillo, La., on the Queen and Crescent line, was robbed a few nights since of a bag of \$1,000 in silver coin. The money has not been recovered.

Broke His Nock.

Canton, O., Dec. 25.—John Mabley, cf Canal Fulton, fell headlong from a moving buggy this morning. He broke his neck and died instantly. Mr. Mabley was seventy-three years old and a prominent

FORTORIA, O., Dec. 28.—The boiler of the electric light works here exploded Saturday, destroying the establishment. Albert Bailey, the engineer, miraculously escaped from instant death, but he is dangerously hurt.

Convicts' Christmas Gifts. COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 28.—Mrs. Sarah M. Victor and Frank Kunts, both life prisoners for murder in the Obio penitentiary, were pardoned by the Governor Christmas Day.

-Mrs. De Broker-"And so you can't afford it, eh?" Mr. De Broker-"Imafford it, eh?" Mr. De Broker—"Impossible. The fortune I expected to make this year has fallen flat, because the European powers did not go to war as every body thought they would; consequently grain and provisions went down instead of up." "Do those powers know a war would do us good?" "Of course." "Fil bet a cookie that horrid Miss Million, who married a German Prince, kept them from fighting just to spite me."—Omake World.

—A great many American girls who hastily marry foreign noblemen never repent at leisure. This is not so much owing to the happiness of their marriages as to the fact that when a woman takes in washing and ironing and hustles around to support a husband she has very little leisure to repent in.

—N. Y. Graphic.

The Arab borses which the Su of Museus recently sent to Queen Victoria are valued at \$17,000. The miscellaneous brio-s-brac which her Majesty will send to the Sultan are valued at \$5,500, leaving a net profit of \$14,500 in favor of the Queen. Professional Cards.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Real Estate.

Pannie G. Lilley va. John Hounet al. High-land County Court of Common Piess. Case No. 4321. ORDER OF SALE. In pursuance of an order issued from the Court of Common Pleas within and for the county of Highland and Miste of Ohio, made at the April term thereof A. D. 1886, and to me directed, I will offer for alle at public suction at the door of the Court House, in the town of Hillsbore, on

Saturday, January 15th, A. D. 1887.

Saturday, January 16th, A. D. 1887.

At w actook p. m. of sais day the followin described real estat. to-wil:

Situate in the County of Highland, State
of Ohio, and in the Township of Liberty,
and bounded and described as follows: First
Tract-Reginning at two whitenaks and a
gum wast corner to John White's lot of 300
acres, and corner to George Campbell's lot of
100 acres, and corner to George Campbell's lot of
100 acres, and corner to George Campbell's lot of
100 acres, these with the line of Campbell's
N 85° W. 115 poles to a hickory, daywood and
willsonk in the line of Franceria Broane's
lot: these N. 22° E. 90 poles to a hickory
and dogwood corner to Jemes Adams' lot;
thence with his line S. 85° E. 85 poles to
whitecak and dogwood; thence with anothor of said Adams' line N. 22° E. 80 poles to
two small dogwoods and small cits northowner to said White's lot; thence S. 25°.

E. 30 poles to a sugar tree, hickory and etc. on half acre apon which the spinol-ben of District W. I stands. Serond Trast— ginning at a whiterash somer to the lens which he had been somer to the lens which the late Daniel House resided, aryunaing S. W. 25 poles to a sixter thence R. 27 E. 10 poles to a sixter thence R. 27 E. 10 poles to a sixter thence R. 27 E. 10 poles to a sixter thence S. 27 E. 10 poles to a sixter thouse S. 27 E. 10 poles to wonth the woods; thence S. 27 W. 100 poles to the highling, containing sizy four sers, more or less these S. 28 W. 100 poles to the highling, containing sizy four sers, more or less these S. 28 which have served to the highling of the loss of the highling of the loss of the line with a line through the farm of which this is a part R. 20 W. 10 poles to a stake in the line who will be a sink of the line who will be served.

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